

and Republicans work together, we can move America ahead.

National service will be America at its best, energizing our youth, meeting our Nation's needs, and reuniting all of us in the common work of citizenship. This legislation joins our Nation's finest traditions of building community, rewarding responsibility, and offering opportunity.

I want in particular to thank those Republicans who found the courage and vision to support this landmark legislation. When we put partisanship behind us and work together, we really can change America.

Digest of Other White House Announcements

The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

July 24

In the early morning, the President and Hillary Clinton returned to Washington, DC, from Little Rock, AR.

July 26

In the morning, the President went jogging with the Achilles Track Club. He then traveled to Chicago, IL.

In the evening, the President attended a Democratic National Committee dinner at the Chicago Historical Society and then returned to Washington, DC.

The President declared that a major disaster exists in North Dakota due to excessive rainfall and flooding beginning June 22.

July 27

In the evening, the President met with the Mainstream Democratic Forum.

July 28

In the evening, the President went to Capitol Hill where he met with the Democratic Study Group. He then had dinner with House Members in the House Longworth Cafeteria.

July 29

In the afternoon, the President had lunch with the Vice President. He then met with recipients of the Enrico Fermi Award.

July 30

The White House announced the President added \$1.3 billion to his request for supplemental appropriations to cover emergency expenses related to the flooding in the Midwest.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Released July 29

Richard Holbrooke,
of New York, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Federal Republic of Germany.

James T. Laney,
of Georgia, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Korea.

Eric Himpton Holder, Jr.,
of the District of Columbia, to be U.S. Attorney for the District of Columbia for the term of 4 years, vice Jay B. Stephens, resigned.

Stephen Charles Lewis,
of Oklahoma, to be U.S. Attorney for the Northern District of Oklahoma for the term of 4 years, vice Tony Michael Graham, resigned.

Vicki Lynn Miles-LaGrange,
of Oklahoma, to be U.S. Attorney for the Western District of Oklahoma for the term of 4 years, vice Timothy D. Leonard, resigned.